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MAILSTOP PATENT APPLICATION

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a nonprovisional patent application:

For (Title): A THIN SEMICONDUCTOR FILM GAS SENSOR DEVICE

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	20 pages of Specification/Claims 1-19/Abstract are attached.
\boxtimes	Formal drawings (Figs. 1-15; 9 sheets) are attached.
\boxtimes	A Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.
\boxtimes	An assignment of the invention to SACMI COOPERATIVA MECCANICI IMOLA Soc.
	Coop. ar.l. is attached, along with Form PTO-1595 and a check for \$40.00.
\boxtimes	An Information Disclosure Statement is attached, along with Form PTO-1449, and 16
	reference(s).
\boxtimes	Priority of foreign application No. <u>TO2003 A 000318</u> filed <u>April 24, 2003</u> in <u>Italy</u> is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.
	Priority of U.S. Provisional Application(s) No filed is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119(e).
	A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application is attached.

The filing fee is calculated below and includes claim status after entry of any Preliminary Amendment noted above:

FOR:	NO. FILED	NO. EXTRA		
BASIC FEE				
TOTAL CLAIMS	28 - 20	= 8		
INDEP CLAIMS	2 - 3	= 0		
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS				

SMALL ENTITY		LARGE ENTITY		
RATE	FEE	<u>OR</u>	RATE	FEE
	\$ 385	<u>OR</u>		\$ 770
x 9 = .		<u>OR</u>	x 18	\$144
x 43 =		<u>OR</u>	x 86	
+145 =		<u>OR</u>	+290	\$290
TOTAL		<u>OR</u>	TOTAL	\$1,204

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Respectfully submitted,

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